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Dear Mr. Donnelly:

For over 50 years, the Federal Government has been actively involved in enhancing the Federal building environment through the commissioning of major art projects. In recognition of this effort, the General Services Administration has recently made available a series of posters of a select group of these works.

I would like to make the series available to you for display in your offices. I am also enclosing several copies of the pamphlet detailing the posters and including information on ordering additional prints.

If individual offices within your organization require additional information, they may contact Ms. Terry Kobane, Office of Real Estate and Development at 472-1895.

Sincerely,

Paul Chistolini

Assistant Regional Administrator for Real Estate and Development

Mr. Wm. F. Donnelly
Deputy Director for Administration
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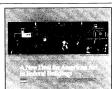
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